

September, 2007

Notice of Survey

Property Owner in Hamilton County, Indiana

RE: Project NH-153-1, Des. #0710215, The New US 31, Hamilton County, Indiana Environmental Impact Statement from I-465 to SR 38

Dear Property Owner:

RW Armstrong has been contracted by the Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) to complete the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the aforementioned project. This entails assessing the environmental impacts related to proposed improvements along US 31 in Hamilton County. Our information indicates that you own property near the proposed highway project. Our representatives will be performing surveys of the project area in the near future. It may be necessary for them to access your property from time to time to complete this work. This is allowed by law under Indiana Code IC 8-23-7-26. Anyone performing this type of work has been instructed to identify themselves to you, if you are available, before they enter your property. If you no longer own this property, or it is currently occupied by someone else, please notify us with the name of the new owner/occupant so that we may contact them about the survey.

The survey work may include topographic surveying, identification and mapping of wetlands, streams, and/or other water features, archaeological investigations (which may involve the survey, testing, or excavation of identified archaeological sites), and various other environmental studies. The information we obtain from such studies is necessary for the proper planning and design of this highway project. It is our sincere desire to cause you as little inconvenience as possible during this survey.

At this stage we generally do not know what effect, if any, this project may eventually have on your property. If it is determined later that your property is involved, you will be contacted with additional information.

If any problems do occur, please contact Ricki Clark (INDOT) at (317) 232-6601 or RCLARK@indot.IN.gov. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

